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SOCIAL SECURITY FOR WORKFORCE OF UNORGANISED SECTOR
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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether only eight per cent of the country`s total workforce of 40 crores, are covered by the social security provisions;

(b) if so, whether there is a proposal to evolve a programme to bring all the workers in the unorganised sector under the social security net and ESI scheme?

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the time by which all the workers in unorganised sector are likely to be covered under the said schemes?

Answer

MINISTER OF LABOUR (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.